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**New NCERT counters for sale of publications**

2017. SHRI THENNALA BALAKRISHNA PILLAI: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have any proposal to open new counters of NCERT for sale of NCERT publications.

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) how many private agencies have so far been given the NCERT agency with State-wise break-up?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The State-wise break-up of total number of NCERT agencies is annexed as statement.

**Statement**

*State-wise break-up of NCERT agencies*

Name of the State/Number of		
	UT	Agencies
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3
2.	Bihar	4
3.	Chandigarh	2
4.	Delhi	12
5.	Gujarat	2 (One is a cooperative agency)
6.	Haryana	3
7.	Jammu & Kashmir	2
8.	Karnataka	1
9.	Kerala	2
10.	Madhya Pradesh	3 (One is a Government)

Name of the (State Number of Agencies)

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II.	Maharashtra	2
12.	North Eastern States	4
13.	Orissa	1
14.	Punjab	2
15.	Rajasthan	1
16.	Tamil Nadu	2
17.	Uttar Pradesh	4
18.	West Bengal	2

**Recognition to National open school courses**

2018. SHRI K. RAHMAN KHAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) how many students have been enrolled by the National Open School during the last three years, State-wise;

(b) the number of centres established by National Open School in the country, State-wise;

(c) the reason for not recognising the National Open School courses by certain Universities and the PUC Board in Karnataka; and

(d) whether Government will take up with Government of Karnataka to approve the courses of National Open School by Universities and State Government in Karnataka?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI MUHI RAM SAIKIA): (a) The information furnished by the National Open Schools (N.S) regarding students enrolled by it. during last 3 years in different States/UTs is given in the enclosed Statement-I (See below)